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MANAGEMENT METHOD

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 15, 2007, in which a three-month shortened statutory period for response was set to expire on September 17, 2007 (September 15, 2007 being a Saturday), with the present response being filed by the two-month due-date of August 15, 2007, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and withdrawal of each of the outstanding rejections in view of the herein-contained amendments and remarks.

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